

House Resolution No. 4036

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives recognize the significance of the institution of marriage as a vital foundation of American society and wholeheartedly believe that a successful union can be achieved only through a loving relationship of mutual honor, respect, and trust; and

Whereas, a period of five wondrous decades has passed since J.C. Heits lovingly took the hand of his beautiful bride, Sue, during a solemn ceremony on June 26, 1955, at the Baptist Church in Rock Port, Missouri; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, J.C. and Sue Heits have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include their children and their spouses, Craig and Louanne Heits, Shane Heits, and John Heits of Fairfax, Michele and David Roach of Kirkville, Iowa, Marissa and R.D. Steele of St. Joseph, and Shawna and James Dampier of Weaubleau; fifteen grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, a bank courier for various Atchison and Holt county banks J.C. Heits has compiled an impressive record of achievement that includes being a Korean War veteran of the United States Army and a retired farmer; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Sue Heits has further distinguished herself as a former employee of the Atchison County Courthouse who currently serves as a bank courier for various Atchison and Holt county banks; and

Whereas, during their half century together, J.C. and Sue Heits have cherished each other every day in sickness and in health with the love so deep in their hearts; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Heits of Fairfax commemorated the resplendent occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration hosted by their loved ones on June 26, 2005, at the Community Building in Fairfax:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to J.C. and Sue Heits and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Heits.

Offered by _____
Representative Brad Lager
District No. 4

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 4036, adopted July 18, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker